

BABY SCARES 3 BANDITS, POLICE SHOOT AT THEM

Motorcyclist Aids in Chase, but Hold-Up Men Escape on Freight Train.

Three hold-up men, one of whom, a negro with a scar on his right cheek, is said by the Jersey City police to be "Oscar" Clayton, a man with a long record of robberies, walked into the second-hand clothing store of Mrs. Barbara Levy, at No. 829 Grand street, Jersey City, at noon to-day and asked to see some clothes.

Mrs. Levy had a six-month-old baby in her arms, and holding the child with one arm, reached up to a shelf to get down some suits. As she did so, the negro threw his arm around her neck and garroted her. The child fell and started to scream. This evidently frightened the three intruders, who ran out onto the street. Mrs. Levy, as soon as she was released, joined the baby in his cries.

A man who was passing on a motor cycle saw the three men dash out and heard the woman's cry. He speeded up his machine and started after them. On the way he met Patrolman Saunders, and the two men chased the fleeing crooks as far as Ash street, where they ran out on the Jersey meadows. There is a maze of railroad tracks and freight trains at this point and the men were quickly lost to sight. During the chase Saunders drew his pistol and fired several shots at the fugitives, but none of them hit his mark.

The police of the Communipaw station searched the box cars in a vain effort to find the men. They say they probably got away on a train that was pulling out as they ran into the yards.

CITY WILL SUE THE STATE.

Mixup Over Staten Island Realty Will Be Taken to Court.

The Shaking Fund Commission to-day requested the Corporation Counsel to institute proceedings against the State of New York demanding the return of city property on Staten Island which the State sold to a realty company. The property is located near the Quarantine station and was acquired by the city from the State in July, 1893, together with forty-one lots on Ward's Island, for \$110,000.

On Sept. 20, 1907, the State sold the Staten Island property to the Ludlow Realty Company of this city for \$1,000. The property was subdivided and sold in building lots and houses are being built on the site. Complications will arise, therefore, if the city is successful in its suit.

TO PROBE CITY FINANCES.

Legislative Committee Prepares Plans for Work.

A secret session of the Joint Legislative Committee authorized to investigate the finances of the City of New York was held at the Murray Hill Hotel to-day.

All the members of the committee, with the exception of Senator H. P. McCarran, were present when the session began. They include Senator Owen Cassidy, chairman; Senator Martin Saxe, assemblyman; Edward A. Merritt, jr., vice chairman; Assemblyman Warren I. Lee, secretary; and Assemblymen Bennett, George, M. Palmer and James O'Day. The counsel for the committee are Charles A. Collins and Louis Bedell.

The committee devoted its time to-day to outlining the plan and scope of its work.

W. L. DOUGLAS THE BEST \$3.50 SHOES FOR MEN

W. L. DOUGLAS MAKES AND SELLS MORE MEN'S \$3.50 SHOES THAN ANY OTHER MANUFACTURER IN THE WORLD.

The reason W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are worn by more men in all walks of life than any other make is because I give the wearer the benefit of the most complete organization of skilled shoemakers in this country, who receive the highest wages paid in the shoe industry and whose workmanship cannot be excelled.

The selection of the leathers and other materials for each part of the shoe and every detail of the making is looked after by specially trained experts in every department.

If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas \$3.50 shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater value than any other make.

(Signed) *W. L. Douglas*

W. L. DOUGLAS \$4.00 GILT EDGE SHOE Cannot Be Equalled at Any Price.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES: \$1.75 and \$2.00. JUST THE SAME AS MY MEN'S \$3.50 SHOES, THE SAME LEATHERS, FOR \$1.75 and \$2.00.

W. L. Douglas name and trade is stamped on the bottom which protects the wearer against high prices and inferior value. INSIST UPON HAVING THE "W. L. DOUGLAS" TRADE MARK.

First Color Lighter and darker, showing the difference between the genuine and the cheap imitations.

W. L. DOUGLAS SHOE STORES IN GREATER NEW YORK:

433 Broadway, cor. Howard. 356 Sixth Ave., cor. 22d St.

755 Broadway, cor. 8th St. BROOKLYN, N.Y.

853 Broadway, cor. 14th St. 708-710 Broadway.

1349 Broadway, cor. 36th St. 1367 Broadway, cor. Gates Av.

1447-1449 Broadway. 421 Fulton Street, cor. Pearl.

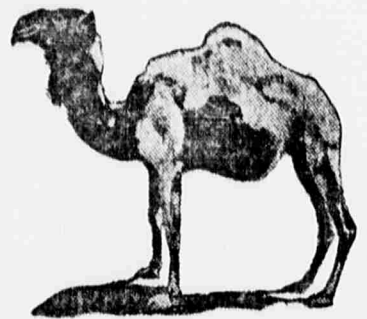
2202 Third Ave., cor. 120th. 478 Fifth Avenue.

984 Third Ave., near 59th St. JERSEY CITY - 15 Newark Avenue.

2779 Third Avenue. NEWARK - 785 Broad St.

250 West 125th Street. 345 Eighth Avenue. PATERSON - 192 Market St.

Camel Can Go Without Water for Eight Days.



But the Prohibitionists Have Decided to Make it the New Party Emblem.

"A camel can go eight days without drinking."

CHICAGO, Sept. 22.—Alonso E. Wilson, State chairman of the Prohibition party, last night announced that the party had decided to adopt the camel as their mascot, replacing the emblem of the fountain and the rising sun, which have stood as the insignia of prohibition.

Among the reasons advanced by Mr. Wilson for the selection are that the camel is the original "water wagon," that it can dispense a fresh supply of water further than any other quadruped, that it can travel faster than the elephant or the donkey and that it always has a hump on itself.

Nothing is said of the fact though that the camel can go without water for eight days.

DYNAMITERS WRECK RAILROAD BRIDGE?

Plotters Suspected of Having Caused Crash of B. & O. Bridge and Fall of Train.

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., Sept. 22.—Through the collapsing of a span of nearly 60 feet of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Bridge over the Susquehanna River at this point early today twelve loaded coal cars of a northbound freight train were carried down and the span was totally demolished.

William Wilson, of Havre de Grace, a watchman for the American Bridge Company, went down with the wreckage and received injuries which may prove fatal. There were no other casualties.

The bridge, which was erected in the early eighties, was being rebuilt and double tracked. The accident occurred about 6 o'clock. With a crash that was heard for a distance of several miles the immense mass fell into the river, completely choking up the eastern channel.

There are reports current that the bridge was tampered with and that dynamite had been found concealed in different parts of the structure during the past few weeks. Baltimore and Ohio officials are on the scene making investigations.

Immediately after the accident the railroad company made arrangements with the Pennsylvania Company to run trains over the latter company's tracks, using the Pennsylvania tracks between Wilmington and Havre de Grace, Md., and as a result there was practically no interruption to through traffic over the road. All the telegraph wires running over the bridge were carried down.

4,400,000 WORDS IN OIL TRUST HEARING

2,750,000 in Record of Testimony, Beside 1,650,000 Classed as Exhibits.

With the production to-day by F. B. Squire, vice-president of the Standard Oil Company of Ohio, of a list of the forty-eight independent oil companies doing business in Ohio, in opposition to the Standard Oil Company, the present taking of evidence in the Government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the longest corporation of the "Oil Trust," was concluded.

At the conclusion of a conference between Lawyers Kellogg, Morrison and Graves, representing the Government, and Morton Rosenthal, Crawford and Campbell, of the Standard forces, it was announced that the hearing would be resumed on Wednesday next in Chicago, where the defense would offer evidence to rebut the Government allegations of rebates and railway concessions enjoyed by the Standard in violation of existing Interstate Commerce laws.

The date for the Chicago hearing was fixed with the proviso that the attorneys would not have to visit Denver, Colo., to appear before Judge Adams, of the United States Circuit Court, on a motion made by the Government to limit the time of the defense's evidence taking.

The record of testimony in the Standard Oil case, taken by United States Stenographer Taylor, is the largest ever before reported in any case in the world. This far, a few pages over 100,000 have been taken. As they average 25 words to the page, the number of words taken exceeds 2,750,000. This does not include the "Exhibits," which number a few pages under 1,650,000 words.

The record is bound in thirteen volumes, with five volumes of exhibits, the latter consisting chiefly of contracts, tables, reports, etc. One complete copy of the record has been made for the printer, one for the file of the referee, and one each for Lawyers Kellogg, Morrison and Graves, of the Government, and Attorneys Rosenthal, Morton, Elliott and Casey, of the defense, making a total of 127 volumes.

Every word of the evidence has been taken by Mr. Taylor personally, read by him to other stenographers and dictated to typewriters. The typewritten record was delivered to counsel about five hours after being taken.

WRIGHT MAKING GAINS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—Orville Wright, the aeronaut, who has been at the Fort Myer Hospital since the airplane accident in which he was injured and ill, is reported to be making gains. He is practically able to get up and walk, and is able to get about the house and the grounds.

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TOOK COMB FROM STORE.

Butler's Explanation That He Wanted to Have It Appraised Not Satisfactory.

Paul Butler, a dapper young man of No. 117 West Sixteenth street, walked into a Sixth Avenue store yesterday afternoon. When he went out with a \$16 comb, which he had slipped into his pocket, he was followed to a pawn shop by Store Detective Mary Walsh and two policemen. When he pushed the comb across the counter to have it appraised he was arrested.

"Your Honor," said Mark Alter, the young man's lawyer, in Jefferson Market Court to Magistrate Cornell, "my client was anxious to buy this comb for a young lady and simply took it to the pawn shop to have it valued before he bought it. He is a very simple young man."

Well, I'll give him credit for a few brains and hold him in \$50 for trial," responded the Court.

ADMIRAL GOODRICH SAILS.

Rear-Admiral Caspar F. Goodrich, commandant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, sailed to-day on the steamer, Manzanilla, on his way to Saragossa, Spain. He will represent the United States Navy at the celebration of the centennial of the birth of the United States Navy at the university of that city. The army will be represented by Major-General Leonard Wood, who is now in Europe.

CURES ECZEMA QUICKLY

New Drug, Poslam, Now Obtainable in Small Quantities.

Since its discovery one year ago the new drug, poslam, has successfully cured thousands of chronic cases of eczema and other distressing skin afflictions. Heretofore poslam has been dispensed solely for the benefit of eczema patients in large jars sufficient for a month's treatment. This was found to be an inconvenience to many thousands who use it for minor skin troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, herpes, acne, scalp, complexion blemishes, itching feet, piles, etc., which require but a small quantity to cure. To overcome this, and in response to urgent appeals, the dispensers of poslam have been obliged to adopt, in addition to the regular two-dollar package, a special fifty-cent size, which in future may be found on sale at Riker's, Hegeman's and other leading drug stores in New York and Brooklyn; also drug stores in all suburban towns, or may be ordered direct from the Emergency Laboratories, No. 32 West 25th street, New York City. In all eczema cases poslam stops itching with first application, and proceeds to heal immediately; chronic cases being cured in two weeks. In less serious skin troubles, results are seen after an overnight application.

Samples for experimental purposes may still be had, free of charge, by writing to the laboratories for them.

Now on Display
\$5,000,000
Worth of New Merchandise

Late Books, 98c

In ALL Other Stores
You Must Pay \$1.08 or More

Main Floor, Rear
We had two avenues open to us:— Submit to Book Trust dictation and exact from customers a profit greater than our cash system calls for, or—fight.

The fight lasted seven years in the courts, but WE WON. It was a long time to fight for the right to sell goods as cheaply as we choose, and we deserved to win. Any store or organization or individual that will fight for such a PRINCIPLE deserves to win.

Strange to say, the fruits of the victory, though they might be universal, may be shared only at Macy's.

This is the only store that sells Book Trust products for less than the Book Trust says its products MUST BE SOLD.

Now on Display
Macy's
Please use BLUE TRANSFER CARDS when you make purchases in more than TWO departments and expect to take them with you. Use RED CARDS when goods are to be delivered.

Royal Wilton Rugs

Special Purchase of 750, Various Sizes, Heads News of Remarkable Underpricing of Floor Coverings.

HOMEFURNISHERS seeking to save liberal sums on autumn needs will find in such a sale as this everything they seek—so far as Floor Coverings are concerned.

One of the features of this particular sale stock is the special purchase lot of 750 Royal Wilton Rugs—a manufacturer's surplus stock. And they are extra good Rugs—all worsted, not the ordinary wool Wiltons so often advertised underprice.

While the range of design and colorings is excellent, early selection is advisable if choicest patterns are an inducement. Note the difference between Macy sale prices and the prices asked elsewhere for similar Rugs.

\$32.50 Rugs, 8'4"x10'2"-ft. size, here..... \$23.84

\$35.00 Rugs, 9'x12"-ft. size, here..... \$26.49

\$6.00 Rugs, 3'6"x3'-inch size..... \$4.48

100 Small Oriental Rugs

Extra fine specimens of Kazakjas, diminutive Kazaks, in sizes averaging about 3'x5'5" feet; value \$15.00; sale..... \$9.89

Linoleum Six different patterns in a lot of 25 rolls; 4 yards wide; regularly 69c a square yard; sale..... 48c

Women's Shirt Waist Suits and Waists: Fall Models to Order

First showing of autumn models in our Custom Suit and waist department.

Seven different models of Shirt Waist Suits, strictly tailored, of all-wool materials—broadoths, fancy mixtures, etc.—at prices ranging from \$28.00 to \$40.00, according to material chosen.

SEPARATE WAISTS, to order, of plain and fancy silks, range from \$10.00 to \$18.00

SEPARATE WAISTS, of woolsens and wash flannels, range from \$8.00 to \$12.00

Allowing for two fittings, the time required to complete an order is 10 days.

For making comfortable Bath Robes there are woolsen Gernas robe blakes, in all-ner designs of soft, pretty shapes—blues, grays, tans, pinks—with deep-figured borders. Size 72x90—\$1.68 and \$2.38.

Silk Petticoats, Special \$4.79

TWO styles, made of an extra heavy quality of taffeta silk—a quality for which you must ordinarily pay almost as much as these finished garments cost.

Both styles in black, staple colors and evening shades. One style has a deep sectional flounce and is finished with bias straps and percaline dust ruffle.

The other has an accordion pleated flounce and four sectional ruffles.

\$1.00 Cotton Petticoats, 59c. Of cotton moiré, in black, brown, navy, green and red, with Spanish flounce, tucked and finished with two narrow ruffles.

Sets of Studs and Cuff Buttons, plated or gold-filled and set with various kinds of stones to match in color the linen or flannel shirt-waist with which they are to be worn, are 39c to \$2.97 the set. Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, set with topaz, jade, caruncles, amethysts or moon stones, are \$7.34 to \$19.96; Studs to match, \$4.96 to \$6.89.

Children's Coats: 2 to 4-Year Sizes.

ATTRACTIVE in all that makes a sale attractive—in the high character of the garments, as to fabrics, models and making, and in the underpricing. Seldom do such opportunities occur.

Bearskin Coats, white and gray, finished with fancy buttons; sale..... \$1.49

Coats of curly bearskin, double-breasted model, white or gray; sale..... \$1.98

Coats of imported serge, double-breasted box model, in white, navy, tan, red and gray..... \$4.40

Coats of broadcloth, with black Astrachan collars and cuffs and finished with black frogs; red or navy; sale..... \$5.49

Men's Imported & Domestic Sweaters

IMPORTED SHETLAND WOOL COAT SWEATERS, for early autumn wear; made of fine grade wool; silk neckband, silk taped edges and pearl buttons; our regular price \$3.24; reduced to..... \$2.44

SCOTCH WOOL WAISTCOATS, two-tone color effects; sleeveless model, \$8.94 to \$11.74, with sleeves..... \$11.49

MEN'S COAT SWEATERS, all wool; good workmanship throughout; trimmed with smoked pearl buttons..... \$1.98

COAT SWEATERS, made of best grade Australian wool worsted, hand-fashioned and finished, in gray, navy, white, black and combination colors..... \$5.29 and \$6.24

LLAMA WOOL COAT SWEATERS..... \$4.74

ANGORA WOOL COAT SWEATERS..... \$6.44

Porto Rican Cigar Sale

PRIZE lots of Cigars are often too small to advertise. Porto Rican Cigars of this grade—THE SAME BRANDS WE TELL OF TO-DAY—are not NEW in our stock, but this is the first time we ever received a large shipment of them. The small lots we received periodically were snapped up quickly. Now we have an ample quantity.

Fresh, bright Cigars, all hand made in Porto Rico. We think you will find them the BEST Porto Rican smokes you have ever tried.

PERFECTO SIZE..... \$1.19

PURITANOS..... \$1.08

PANATELAS..... \$1.98

WINDSOR HOUSE BOUQUET—Perfecto size, boxes of 50, sold regularly at \$3.00; here..... \$2.24

Monarchs, box of 25, elsewhere \$3.00; here..... \$2.24

Finer Cigars in stock, including the celebrated Luis Marx Havana, by many considered the choicest Cigars imported.

There is nothing more a gratifying than to break one's spec acles or eyeglasses when they are not in actual use the protection of a case may prove in many such accident s. Leather c ses, for pocket or chatelaine, are 11c, 18c and 19c; aluminum, 29c and 34c; gun-metal, \$2.19.

Comfortables: Still a Good Selection from Monday's Sale

Two of three lots in the 2,400 special purchase sale offer a fairly complete selection. The third lot is entirely sold out. Some of these are filled with cotton, others with down.

At \$1.09—Comfortables, 72x78-inch size, for full size beds, figured silkoline both sides, or with plain backs; fancy stitched or tufted.

At \$1.29—Comfortables, size as above, medium weight coverings with light or tinted grounds, tufted.

IN ADDITION, WE OFFER:—

COMFORTABLES, filled with cotton; figured silkoline centres, plain colored 9-inch sateen borders; figured silkoline backs, fancy stitched; 72x78-inch size, each..... \$1.83

COMFORTABLES, heavy weight fancy stitched; covered on both sides with high grade sateen; newest designs; 72x78-inch, each..... \$2.79

COMFORTABLES, filled with cotton; figured silkoline centres, plain colored 9-inch sateen borders; figured silkoline backs, fancy stitched; 72x78-inch size, each..... \$3.24

COMFORTABLES, filled with choice quality down; covered with sateen, in newest designs, light and medium colorings; 72x 72-inch size, each..... \$4.60

COMFORTABLES, filled with down, covered with figured silk, with wide plain silk borders; backs of plain colored sateen; 72x72-inch size, each..... \$7.48